



Montgomery County Fire & Rescue Service

Division of Operations

Emergency Medical and Integrated Healthcare Services

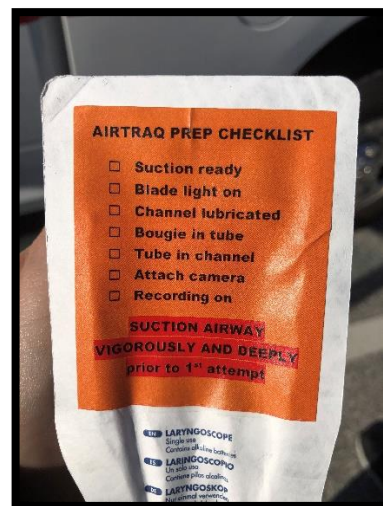
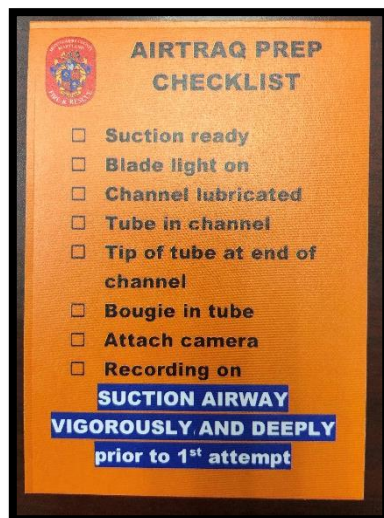
AIRTRAQ PREP CHECKLIST STICKERS

Intubation of the trachea using the AIRTRAQ device is an important therapy for our most critical patients. The organization is committed to continuously improving our first pass success rate using this device.

Success is dependent upon completion of a precise set of steps prior to every intubation.

Similar emergent procedures have an increased success rate when using a checklist.

We will be deploying checklist stickers onto every AIRTRAQ blade package soon.



These checklists have also been given to EMS Logistics and resupply orders will be distributed with the stickers already affixed.

We urge you to use the checklist as you assemble your equipment. This will afford you the best opportunity at success.

Questions can be directed to Captain Tim Burns, EMIHS Quality Improvement Officer